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PANAMA

1. AS OF 0900 LOCAL AUGUST 21 WE HAVE OBTAINED WHAT WE BELIEVE IS
FINAL DRAFT LANGUAGE OF POLITICAL DECLARATION ON PANAMA AND
THE CANAL:

2. QUOTE 38. THE CONFERENCE DEMANDED THE RESTORATION OF
THE SOVEREIGNTY OVER GUANTANAMO, THE PANAMA CANAL ZONE AND
THE MALVINAS RESPECTIVELY TO CUBA, PANAMA AND ARGENTINA WHO ARE THE
RIGHTFUL OWNERS OF THESE TERRITORIES.

110. THE CONFERENCE NOTED WITH SATISFACTION THE UNANIMOUS
LATINE AMERICAN SUPPORT FR THE LEGITIMATE ASPIRATIONS OF THE
REPUBLIC OF PANAMA, AND ASSOCIATED ITSELF WITH THE DESIRES EXPRESSED
BY THE COJNTRIES OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE THAT A SETTLEMENT OF
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THIS QUESTION BE ACHIEVED DURING THIS YEAR OF THE CELEBRATION

OF THE SESQICENTIENNIAL OF THE AMPHICTYONIC CONGRESS OF
PANAMA CONVENED BY THE LIBERATOR SIMON BOLIVAR.

111. THE CONFERENCE REITERATED ITS FIRM SUPPORT AND
SOLIDARITY WITH THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF PANAMA IN THEIR
FAIR STRUGGLE AFOR THE EFFDCTIVE SOVEREIGNTY AND TOTAL JURISTITION
OVER THE SO-CALLED PANAMA CANAL ZONE.

112. THE CONFERENCE REAFFIRMED THE SUPPORT OF THE NON-
ALIGNED COJNTRIES FOR THE PANAMANIAN CONTROL OF THE
PANAMA CANAL AND REITERATED THEIR FIRM SUPPORT FOR ALL
EFFORTS THAT THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA WILL MAKE BEFORE
INTERNATIONAL FORUMS, IN PARTICULAR THE UNITED NATIONS
BODIES.

113. THE CONFERENCE PRAISED THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE
PANAMIAN PEOPLE UNDER THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT HEADED
BY GENERANKOMAR TORRIJOS ARRRERA (SIC), OFFERING ANY
SUPPORT THAT THEY MAY REQUIRE WHEN FACING ANY ACTION WHICH MAY
CAUSE IT DESTABILIZATION.

118. THE CONFERENCE STATED THAT THE PRESENCE OF
UNITED STATES MILITARY BASES IN LATIN AMERICA, SUCH AS THOSE
EXISITNG INCUBA AND PANAMA, REPRESENTS A THREAT TO THE PEACE
AND SECURITY OF THE REGION AND RENEWED ITS DEMAND THAT THE
GOVERNMENTOF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICAN IMMEDIATELY RESTORE
TO THESE COUNTRIES THE INALIENABLE PARTS OF THEIR TERRITORIES
OCCUPIED AGAINST THE WILL OF THEIR GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLES
AND ALSO DEMANDS DISMANTLING OF THE MILITARY BASES THAT EXIST
IN PUERTO RICO END QUOTE.

2. NO SEPARATE RESOLUTION WAS PASSED ON PANAMA.REED

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